

French Complete Elba Conquest



French colonial troops leaving landing craft near Mariana Di Campo, southwestern port of Elba, which they used as a starting-off point to solve the island after smashing organized German resistance in a three-day campaign during which 1,600 prisoners were captured.

Cherbourg's Fall Imminent

Inner Fortresses of City Assaulted by U. S. Doughboys

House-to-House Fighting Rages Within Mile of Docks

By WES GALLAGHER
Supreme Headquarters Allied Expeditionary Force, June 21 — (AP)—American troops smashed within 1,500 yards—less than a mile—of Cherbourg's waterfront today, driving between two fortress bastions under cover of air and artillery bombardment.

The fall of the great supply port seemed only a matter of hours to night.

The piledriver offensive crashed through the suburbs along the inland road between Port du Route and Port Octeville, Nazi strong-points shuddering under bombs as well as leaflets calling on the trapped Nazis to surrender.

Nazi demolition squads worked feverishly to cripple the port through which the allies could pour a flood of men and supplies into Normandy.

Another force, rolling the trapped Germans back on the left flank seized Acqueville, at the base of Cape de la Hague, the land finger jutting northwest of Cherbourg and possibly offering a chance of escape by sea.

Acqueville is four miles southwest of the port, and only 11 from the tip of the Cape de la Hague. The American advance also captured Tertheville-Hague two miles south of Acqueville.

Troops on the right flank advanced beyond Valognes, and supreme headquarters declared "good progress" was made toward the prize harbor today.

Supported by powerful artillery and air bombardment, veteran American troops assaulted Port du Route, within a mile of Cherbourg's docks, and Fort Octeville, bastion two miles in front of the military harbor area, blasted by Nazi demolitions.

Eighty Nazi tanks have been destroyed by the allied fighting.

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Snap Judgment on French People Is Unwarranted Now

BY RICHARD KASISCHKE
London, June 21 — (AP)—The battle for the liberation of France now is a fortnight old and the best judgment based on reports from Normandy — from correspondents, the Army's Information Services, and from the interior of France through underground channels—is this:

The great majority of the French people are friendly and helpful toward the allies and want them to stay until the final victory over the Germans; that the French are now striking blows for their own freedom and will do so increasingly as the liberation progresses.

It is unwarranted, however, to form snap judgment of France's 40,000,000-odd persons on the basis of isolated incidents in Normandy; and even to judge all of Normandy's reaction without sampling its biggest city, Cherbourg, is premature.

A reporter in Bayeux wrote that "I've not yet heard one Frenchman here who talks of getting out of the war—as the Italians did. They want to get into it actively and they're volunteering."

He found the population growing friendlier as the success of the invasion became assured and the Normans realized this is not just "another Dieppe."

Sees Welcome Growing
Talking with escaped Parisians and people from the south of France he is convinced the allied welcome will be even greater inland.

Some soldiers and correspondents were amazed to find in Normandy not famine but plenty; not stripped but well-stocked farms and shops; not bubbling but reserved reception.

In evaluating these reactions the following "peculiarities" of Normandy and its people must be borne in mind:

1. Normandy probably suffered the least from the effects of the German occupation. As France's richest farming province and "bread basket of Paris" its abundance is such that not even German requisition could drain it.

2. The Normans are dour by nature, the antithesis of the effervescent Parisians and a far cry from the temperament of southern France. The reaction of the Normans to the invasion ranged—in the words of a supreme allied headquarters spokesman—from a warm welcome to conservatism. In many cases the Normans helped the invaders.

3. Assessment of the Norman reaction to the cost of liberation must wait until such a town as Caen—which is damaged considerably—is entered, or Cherbourg, if there is a protracted siege. The places thus far liberated have not suffered great devastation and the refugee problem is small.

4. As to reports French women are sniping at allied troops there is the possibility that some of these incidents involved Germans seeking to escape disguised as women. Of two cases, one woman proved to be of a nationality other than French.

Farm Work is Behind Schedule; Need Rain
Springfield, Ill., June 21 — (AP)—Farm work and crop development averages one to two weeks behind schedule in Illinois and there is critical need for rain in southern counties, the weather bureau said today.

Average rainfall for the week ending Tuesday was 0.75 inch, slightly below normal, while temperatures ranged above normal and exceeded 90 degrees generally on several days before a change Monday to as cool as 50. Northern Illinois received adequate rain.

Crop conditions reported including good winter wheat, rapidly growing corn, poor to excellent oats, fairly good to good soybeans, some a foot or more high; good to heavy cutting of alfalfa and clover; poor to good gardens, truck and potatoes, mostly late and needing rain; average peaches, variable apples, good cherries and short strawberries.

Squares are forming on Alexander county cotton plants and transparent apples are being picked in Alexander, Jackson, Union and Williamson counties.

History-Shaking Sea Battle May Be Raging Off Marianas: Japs Report Forces Joined

King Appreciative of Final Co-Operation of Jap Fleet

Washington, June 21 — (AP)—American forces may at long last have cornered Nippon's principal battle fleet for a showdown fight, and so far as Admiral Ernest J. King is concerned, "the sooner the Japanese fleet fights, the better we'll be satisfied."

The navy's commander in chief today expressed appreciation for the "cooperation" of Japan's navy in apparently moving into battle position in the western Pacific, and expressed complete confidence in the outcome of possible contact east of the Philippines.

He made his statement after Navy Secretary Forrestal had reported that despite strict radio silence from the Pacific there have been some indications that American forces "may have succeeded in catching up with all or part of the Japanese fleet yesterday."

Forrestal added that there is, however, "no definite information" as to the prospective engagement.

He based his comment upon a statement by Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, Pacific fleet commander in chief, who reported the Japanese fleet had been located in the waters east of the Philippine Islands and indicated that some engagements may already have been fought.

Forrestal reported that "the Japanese fleet has been sighted."

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Election Probes to Include Unions

Washington, June 21 — (AP)—The house today set up machinery for investigating, any suspected election fraud this presidential campaign year and for the first time wrote labor unions into the scope of the investigation.

Heretofore biennial investigation of congressional campaigns has been confined to contributions that may have been made illegally by corporations or other business associations.

The house rewrote the historic inquiring resolution to make susceptible to investigation the contributions of individuals, partnerships, corporations, committees or labor unions.

In addition, attention is to be paid to "the amounts raised, contributed and expended by any labor organization, trade or business association and any other agency."

As the measure came out of the rules committee it included "any political committee" connected with a labor organization, but this language was removed on the motion of Rep. Marcantonio (AL-NY) who said it was "singling out labor unions" too much.

The "political committee" phrase was intended, rules committee members had said, to apply to the CIO Political Action Committee, named as a factor in the several special elections this year.

Marcantonio said as finally drawn the resolution "takes in everybody without singling out anybody."

THE WAR TODAY

By DEWITT MACKENZIE

By J. M. ROBERTS
Substituting for DEWITT Mackenzie

Capture of Cherbourg, now dependent on how many Germans want to die first, will bring the allies to a new phase of the invasion—the establishment of a continental base from which to start for Germany.

That means a concentration which quite possibly would need to occupy all northwestern France, including the Brittany peninsula (Brest) from Loire (St. Nazaire) to the present beachhead, and Le Havre, which commands the Seine basin.

Otherwise, there seems to be little anchor for the allied southern flank as it turns for the advance into France. Hitler went through northern France in 1910 without regard for French threats on his southern flank. But, while his army may be the one to disintegrate this time, allied commanders may not want to chance it.

There could be many reasons for recent bombings of Avranches, Laval, Rennes, Brest, and Nantes, but designs on the Brittany peninsula would be a good one.

For purposes of surprise, the allies did the illogical in landing as someone put it, they selected an area where nobody could establish a successful beachhead, and then did it. But when preparing for battles on a large scale—presumably more than a million men will be on each side when the campaign really gets going—terrain cannot be ignored.

The Loire and the Seine are quite logical flanks for a drive toward Paris.

Of course the location of the present beachhead is the only indication we have that the drive will be toward Paris. The allies

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RATION CALENDAR

DATE	ITEM	QUANTITY
JUN 21	MEATS	1/2 lb.
JUN 22	FATS	1/2 lb.
JUN 23	EGGS	1/2 doz.
JUN 24	VEGETABLES	1/2 doz.
JUN 25	FRUIT	1/2 doz.
JUN 26	DAIRY	1/2 doz.
JUN 27	MEATS	1/2 lb.
JUN 28	FATS	1/2 lb.
JUN 29	EGGS	1/2 doz.
JUN 30	VEGETABLES	1/2 doz.

Meats, Fats — Red stamps A8 through V8 good indefinitely.

Processed Foods — Blue stamps A8 through V8 good indefinitely.

Most plentiful foods—Eggs, milk, potatoes, onions, carrots, spinach, white potatoes, oranges, peanut butter and citrus marmalade.

Sugar—Stamps 30 and 31 are good for five pounds indefinitely. Sugar stamp 32 good for five pounds, June 16.

Sugar stamp 40, good for five pounds of canned sugar through February next year.

Gasoline — A-11 coupons are good through June 21.

Fuel Oil—Periods 4 and 5 coupons are good through Sept. 30. New period 1 coupons for the 1944-45 heating year may be used as soon as they are received from local boards.

Shoes: Airplane stamps 1 and 2, good indefinitely.

Reds Occupy Viipuri in Drive Into Finland; Helsinki Next Objective

London, June 21 — (AP)—Victorious Russian troops have occupied Finland's fortress seaport of Viipuri yesterday drove on today toward the capital city of Helsinki, where the Germans were reported exerting pressure to keep their small ally from joining for peace with Premier Joseph Stalin.

The Finnish radio, which told of the Russian advance, urged all persons whose presence was not essential to evacuate Helsinki, which lies approximately 135 air-line miles west of Viipuri.

(Russian troops "have advanced three miles beyond Viipuri," the British radio said today.)

The Stockholm newspaper Dagbladet said that the Germans were endeavoring to block

Fifth U. S. Fleet Ready With Enough Muscle, Commander Says

(By The Associated Press)
U. S. Pacific Fleet Headquarters, Pearl Harbor, June 21—Giant battle fleets of the United States and Japan faced each other today in the 1,500 miles between the Philippines and Marianas amid indications that preliminary blows already may have opened a history-shaking naval engagement.

(A Japanese broadcast said today that a "fierce naval battle" is raging in the Central Pacific off the Marianas.

(The British radio said "a Japanese spokesman was quoted as saying that this battle would have 'far reaching effects on the Pacific war situation'.")

"Possibly the entire Japanese fleet" has entered the area, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz disclosed. It was the first report on the whereabouts of the long-sought navy of Nippon since its crushing defeat at Midway in June, 1942.

Eager and ready for battle is the Fifth U. S. Fleet with "enough muscle . . . to take care of everything" in the words of the confident Commander-in-Chief of the Pacific Fleet.

Confusing Broadcasts
(A Japanese naval spokesman was quoted in a Berlin broadcast today as saying Nippon's air and naval forces "have successfully engaged an American fleet" by Tokyo radio in another broadcast to the homeland quoted Imperial headquarters' communiques as acknowledging "we have suffered considerable losses of ships and planes".)

On the embattled Saipan, the Marianas 1,500 miles southeast of Tokyo, the going still is tough. The Yanks called on planes, artillery and guns of warships to help crack bitter resistance of an estimated 20,000 Japanese, a Nimitz communiqué last night reported.

"Our troops now hold the entire southern portion of the island," the communiqué said. To the south of Saipan, enemy airfields on Tinian were shelled by warships and bombed by planes.

First Blow Sunday
What may prove to have been the first preliminary blow of a showdown naval fight was struck Sunday from enemy aircraft carriers. Their planes, flying from the direction of the Philippines by way of Guam and Rota in the Marianas, paid a frightful cost of 30 aircraft in trying unsuccessfully to sink U. S. carriers and battleships of the invasion fleet. Last night Nimitz told a press conference that not one combat ship was sunk.

Then the admiral issued an electrifying hint that the enemy blow was paid back with success Monday. He said cryptically it was possible that damage was inflicted on elements of the enemy fleet that day.

Nimitz assured a press conference the Fifth Fleet packs sufficient "power to be favorable to us in a decisive engagement," even if it is massed more than 1,000 miles beyond the U. S. advance naval base in the Marshalls and 3,800 miles from Pearl Harbor.

Hopes Japs Will Stay
"We hope the Jap fleet will stay in that (Philippines) area," he said. "As long as they stay, we have a chance to get at them."

Ready to figure in a decisive naval engagement is an "unsinkable carrier," the 3,600-foot Ashiro airdrome captured by Marines and soldiers who now control the entire southern part of Saipan which they invaded June 14.

Also ready to send land-based bombers into action is the air arm of Gen. Douglas MacArthur. His planes are poised within bombing range of the Philippines and adjacent ocean areas at captured Mokmer airfield on Biak in the Schouten islands off north Dutch New Guinea. Today he announced the capture of two more airfields on Biak.

Destruction of the enemy's 300 carrier planes raised to nearly 600 the total Japanese air losses.

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Berlin Blasted by American Bombers in Shuttle Attack

Nazi Luftwaffe Puts Up No Opposition to Attackers

London, June 21 — (AP)—More than 1,000 American Flying Fortresses and Liberators blasted Berlin and the capital's outskirts today and the German radio indicated that at least some of the planes flew on eastward—possibly in the first shuttle raid from Britain to New American bases in Russia.

The bomber fleet had an escort of around 1,000 fighters, making a total force of some 2,000 planes which carried the aerial war once more to the heart of the German homeland.

Basdorf, on Berlin's outskirts, also was blasted, German broadcasts admitted.

"Reeling"

Stockholm, June 21 — (AP)—"I'm reeling," the newspaper Aftonbladet's veteran Berlin correspondent telephoned today after the raid by 1,000 American bombers on the German capital.

Great masses of high explosives and incendiaries hurled on the battered city caused "severe damage" and started many fires, he said.

damage and casualties and threatened to retaliate with "bigger and more powerful explosives" than those used in the current rocket bomb offensive.

First Liberator fliers back at British bases said there was plenty of flak over the target but they did not see a single German fighter—a rare occurrence in raids on the hub of Germany.

Shuttle-bombing flights from Britain and Russia would complete the "ring of steel" thrown about Germany by allied bombers. Flights have been made already from Mediterranean bases to new American air fields inside Russia. Russia's frontier is some 900 miles air line from England—easily within the range of both Flying Fortresses and Liberators which yesterday flew more than 1,000 miles round trip to the Stettin area.

Berlin broadcasts said the Havel and Spree river valleys also had been attacked by the daylight raiders, but there was no immediate allied confirmation of these reports.

At the same time big fleets of allied planes were observed streaking out across Dover Strait and disappearing in the direction of the German rocket bomb bases which now have been pounded continuously for five days.

During the night the tempo of the allied aerial offensive was maintained as RAF Mosquitos thundered on in relays for four hours to harass German lines of reinforcements by blasting the Meisdon railroad yards near Caen in the Normandy battle area. Rail yards at Chartres also were hit.

Along with the Pas de Calais bomb launching platforms German gun emplacements defending the tip of the Cherbourg peninsula and a stubborn coastal battery at Hougue, near the allies east flank, were bombed both yesterday and last night.

Capping five months of hammering at the Pas de Calais area by the American Expeditionary Air force alone—not counting the heavy bomber attacks—in which 19,000 tons of bombs were dropped in the course of 420 attacks by a total of 23,500 planes, RAF planes of various types blasted 10

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Today in Washington

A Roundup of Developments From the Nation's Capital

Washington, June 21 — (AP)—Members of the senate's liquor shortage investigating committee today applauded the WPB announcement that whiskey making will be resumed for a month but that stricter government controls be placed on distribution to offset the "bootleggers" and "black marketeers."

The War Production Board said yesterday that alcohol would be released for the manufacture of from 40,000,000 to 50,000,000 gallons of 86-90 proof blended whiskey, about one-fourth of a normal year's supply.

Resumption of industrial alcohol production was given as the reason. The whiskey will be manufactured during the month of August.

But from Rep. Bryson (D-SC), author of a long-pending wartime prohibition bill came the statement that "this country will be shocked by the announcement."

"It is tragic," he said, "that at a time when we are trying to feed not only our own people but the people of other nations that we should use vital substances for liquor."

In New York, Kenneth S. Baxter, executive director of the Conference of Alcoholic Beverages Industries, said that "the only people to whom it (the announcement) will not be good news are black marketeers and the bootleggers who have fattened on the whiskey shortage."

OPA
A compromise version of the bill to extend price controls was (Continued on Page 6)

'Tis Summer
Chicago, June 21 — (AP)—Summer put in its official appearance at 8:03 a. m. Central War Time, today with forecasts predicting warmer weather would break the cold that has enveloped the middle west for two days.

Forecasters H. L. Jacobson said Chicago, which had a high of 78 yesterday, would have 81 or 85 degree heat today. St. Louis, Kansas City and Des Moines will trade their yesterday's middle-70 temperatures for 80 degree weather today.

Scattered thundershowers were predicted for late tonight, throughout the Upper Mississippi valley, especially throughout Iowa, northern Illinois and southern Minnesota and Wisconsin.

Chilling temperatures moved eastward to cool off the eastern United States.

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British Minister's Statement Entirely Erroneous: Sec. Hull

Gives Sharp Rebuttal to Assertion Made by Lyttleton

Washington, June 21 — (AP)—Senator Lucas (D-Ill.) told the senate today that Capt. Oliver Lyttleton, British Minister of Production, had uttered "a slur against the United States" in a London speech and that his resignation should be demanded.

Lucas' assertion on the senate floor came after Secretary of State Hull last night sharply rebutted Lyttleton's assertion that American lend-lease aid to Britain had forced Japan into attacking the United States and after Lyttleton himself, earlier in the day, addressed a personal apology to the House of Commons for his remark.

Hull, terming the British minister's statement "entirely erroneous" said this country in the months preceding Pearl Harbor was following "the single policy of self defense."

Lyttleton's remark was interpolated in an address prepared for an American Chamber of Commerce luncheon in England.

"When I read that statement in the press," Lucas told his colleagues, "I was shocked and disappointed that a man so high

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U. S. Debt Now Exceeds 190 Billion Dollars

Washington, June 21 — (AP)—The public debt of the United States has passed another milestone—\$190,000,000,000.

At the close of business June 19, today's treasury statement showed it was \$190,057,000,000 compared with \$140,104,000,000 a year ago.

Excluding guaranteed obligations of certain government corporations, the debt was \$188,414,000,000. That is the figure covered by the legal debt limit—recently boosted from \$210,000,000,000 to \$260,000,000,000.

Total Navy Strength Stands at 3 1/2 Million

Washington, June 21 — (AP)—The personnel strength of the navy, marine corps and coast guard stood at 3,100,616 men and women on May 1, Senator Walsh (D-Mass.) reported today in a senate document entitled "The decline and Renaissance of the Navy, 1922-1944."

The total included 8,727 women officers and 71,950 enlisted women. In contrast, the total strength of the navy and marine corps on June 30, 1922 was 11,695 officers and 122,631 men, said Walsh, who is chairman of the Senate Naval Affairs Committee.

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The Weather

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 21, 1944
Chicago and vicinity: Partly cloudy and warmer tonight and Thursday, with thundershowers likely late tonight or Thursday morning, and again late Thursday afternoon. Moderate winds. Low tonight 65, high Thursday 88.

Illinois: Scattered thundershowers tonight and in north portion Thursday. Warmer.

Wisconsin: Scattered light showers north and thundershowers south portion tonight and Thursday. Warmer southeast portion tonight. Cooler north portion Thursday.

Iowa: Scattered showers and thundershowers tonight and in east and extreme north portions Thursday. Warmer south portion Thursday.

LOCAL WEATHER
For the 24 hours ending at 7:00 a. m. (Central War Time) today maximum temperature 60, minimum temperature 33, clear.

Allied Drive in Italy Moves on Steadily; Perugia Hub Occupied

Rome, June 21 — (AP)—Eighth Army veterans have hurled the last stubborn Nazi defenders out of ancient Perugia, communications hub 55 miles north of Rome, and advanced some four miles north of the city, allied headquarters said today.

The allied drive still was in steady motion although the Germans had thrown the elements of seven divisions against the right flank of the Fifth Army's front in an effort to slow its pace. But the Fifth fought through four more villages, making what headquarters termed "minor tactical gains."

This was the second German

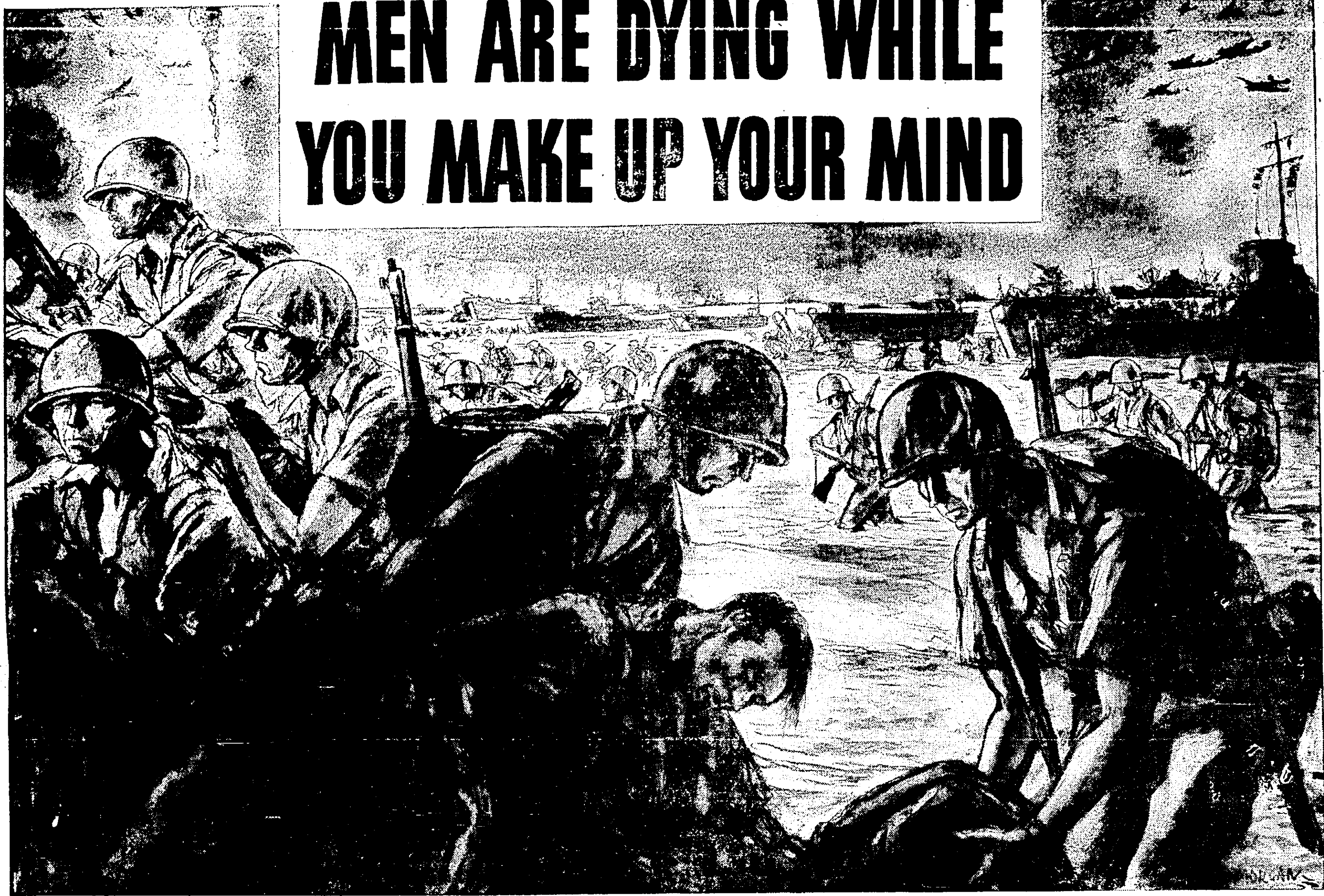
division to be diverted from the western front since the allies' spectacular advance in Italy began, the 20th Luftwaffe division having arrived here previously from Denmark. Prisoners also have been taken in the same general area from the 15th SS division which was brought here from the Balkans.

Mediterranean Air Force headquarters announced Thunderbolts of the First Tactical Air Force severely damaged an enemy aircraft carrier in Genoa harbor believed to be an Italian ship being refitted.

Tactical aircraft flew 750 sorties yesterday over the battle area and all returned.

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Rev. and Mrs. F. W. Henke of the Lutheran church are now enjoying their annual vacation in northern Minnesota and there will be no church services during their absence.

Rev. Gilbert S. Peters of the Methodist church left Monday to attend the Rock River annual conference of that church, which is meeting this week in the Chicago Temple. He was accompanied by Fred Gross, who went

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as lay delegates from the local church.

The Presbyterian Aid society met at the home of Mrs. Charles Ramsdell last week, with 22 members present. It was decided to hold the June 29 meeting at the church and the ladies are planning to sew for their pastor's wife, Mrs. Montanus at this time, so all bring your thimbles.

Annual Music Program
The Church of the Brethren invites you to attend the annual music program to be given by the Senior choir, assisted by the Temple choir, on Sunday evening, June 25, 1944, at 8 o'clock. Program as follows:

Processional.
Prayer. Rev. O. D. Buck. Response by choir.

Hymn selections.
"Open the Gates." Senior and Temple choirs.

"Beside Still Waters." Senior choir.

"Lift Up Your Heads." Temple choir.

Vocal duet, Nadine and Georgia Smith.

Accordian selection, Jeanette and Audra Miller.

"I Found Him in My Heart." Senior choir.

Vocal solo, "My Task." Elizabeth Spots.

"Ninety and Nine." Temple trio: Donald and Donna Yingling, Georgia Smith.

Piano duet, Dorothy Fiseel and Jeanette Miller.

"Song of Peace"; "Lilies," Temple choir.

Marimba solo, Harold Parks.

Trio, Jeanette and Audra Miller and Adeline Jasper.

"Santus"; "Lauda Anima," Senior choir.

Benediction.

Wayne Bates in New Guinea

Relatives here received word Saturday from Wayne Bates, writer June 1, stating that he was "somewhere in New Guinea" and feeling fine. Everyone is glad to hear this good word from Wayne. At least four of the home boys are now located on that island: John Cupp, Rodney Koop, Ralph Sunday and Wayne.

Camp Ground Site Sold

The 10-acre plot of ground lying directly west of the village and formerly used as a camp-meeting site, chaquetaqua grounds, Epworth League institute location, respectively, was bought at the public sale held last Saturday by Clayton Kesselring, Jr. We understand the price paid was \$5,402, the highest bid being for the grounds and buildings as a unit.

Mr. Kesselring tells us he does not have any definite plans as yet as to the use of the tract, but does not expect to wreck it, as has been reported. He hopes to eventually develop some project of community interest and benefit after the close of the war. He has rented the home adjoining the entrance on the south, formerly owned by Mrs. Grace Remley, and expects to move there with his family about July 1.

Harvey Martin underwent an operation at the Freeport hospital last week. A short time later word came of the sudden death of his son, of Louisville, Kentucky, and Mrs. Martin, the mother, left at once to attend the funeral. The sympathy of all goes out to

these heavily burdened people in their hour of sorrow and stress.

Mrs. Richard Sunday, who has spent the last week in Ashton, looking after the renting of their home there and other necessary work, spent the weekend here in the home of her husband's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Sunday.

Twin daughters were born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ramsdell, Jr. on Tuesday, June 13. The little girls have been named Irene Louise and Eileen Lucile.

Maurice Heckman was operated on for a severe case of appendicitis at the Dixon hospital Friday. He is now getting along nicely, which is good news to his many friends.

Randall Myers, accompanied by his niece, Miss Marjorie Hall, came out on Friday from Wheaton, where he had stopped at the home of his sister and family enroute home from a 15-months stay on the island of Trinidad as a member of the Seabees. He is enjoying a visit with his mother, Mrs. Hannah Myers, and other relatives in this vicinity, as well as his many friends. He expects to spend the coming week and with friends in Chicago, returning here later for the balance of his 30-day leave. He will report at Camp Endicott, Rhode Island, on July 7 for further assignment.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Mong visited on Father's Day in the home of their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hall of DeKalb.

Mrs. Bird Peterson of Chicago visited the first of the week at the home of her sister, Mrs. Drucilla Banker.

Miss Vivian Miller of Chicago spent Father's Day at home in

Ashton. She enjoyed a trip with her father, George Miller, on his milk route that forenoon.

Walter Myers of Aurora was a weekend guest in the E. K. Buck home.

William Naylor and Mrs. Sadie Elaine entertained for Sunday dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Miller and son Gerald and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Byer, honoring Gerald's 15th birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Luke Johnson was a Friday afternoon guest of Mrs. Eva Miller.

The Arthur Schafer family were Sunday evening guests at the Lyle Fordham home in Dixon.

A recent missionary offering taken for missions in the local Lutheran church, resulted in \$319 being given for this cause—a fine accomplishment.

Mrs. Ione Stewart and little son Bobbie came recently from their former home in Kansas to be with her grandmother, Mrs. J. E. Wolf while her husband is in service. He is stationed in England at present.

Mrs. Isaac Bearrows and daughter, Mrs. Ross Baker, were Monday callers in the home of Mrs. Mary Bates.

Mrs. Hannah Myers and son Randall, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Myers and sons Gordon Myers and daughter Kathryn and Mr. and Mrs. Cloyd Hall and daughter of Wheaton, were guests in the Wal-

ter Bennett home on Sunday. Miss Marjorie, elder daughter of the Halls has recently recovered from a very severe illness. She remained in the Bennett home for a short visit.

Miss Mamie Jones attended the funeral service of her friend Miss Anna Geisenheimer which was held in Dixon on Monday afternoon.

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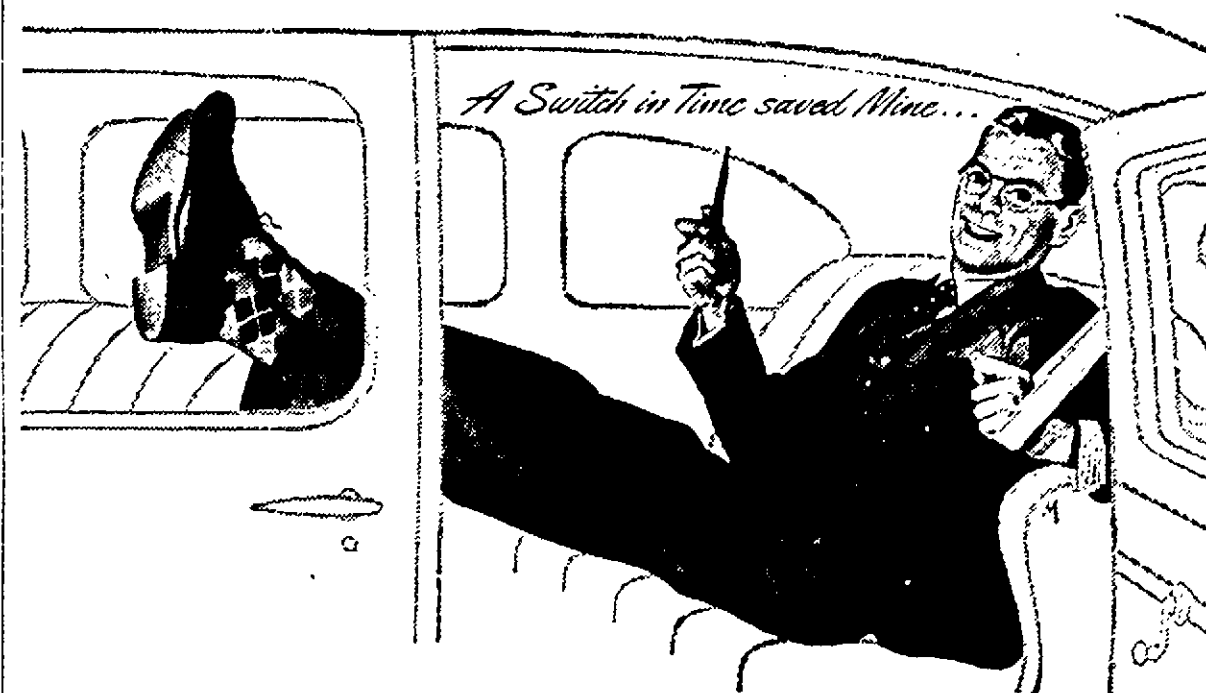
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NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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A Thought for Today
It is preserved not the life
of the wicked; but given
right to the poor.—Job 35:6.

God only, who made us
rich, can make us poor.—
Browning.

Labor in Politics
It seems to us that current dis-
cussion of the CIO's Political Ac-
tion Committee ignores the real
issue. That could be because the
well-intentioned Hatch Act like-
wise missed the point.

Probably there are some who
contend that labor unions should
not be permitted to participate in
politics at all. If so, they are
relatively few and do not repre-
sent the general viewpoint.

Workers have as much right as
anybody else to try to elect their
friends, defeat their enemies, af-
fect the course of legislative ac-
tion. In practice, their unions pro-
vide natural vehicles for such po-
litical action. And such rights
cannot be exercised without ex-
penditure of money.

The real issue is not—should
not be—that. The real issue is
whether millions of labor union
members who disagree with the
political policy of their organiza-
tion should be forced willy nilly,
to help finance policies and can-
didates they would prefer to de-
feat.

Right now most unionism is pro-
New Deal. But the ethics of the
situation would be exactly the
same if unionism were predomi-
nantly anti-New Deal. In fact,
there are unions which will sup-
port Dewey for president, against
the will of a substantial minority
of their members, just as most
unions will support Roosevelt
against the wishes of their mi-
norities.

A much more realistic and en-
forceable approach to the prob-
lems raised by unions in politics
would be to amend the Hatch Act
somewhat along these lines:

Let it be provided that no union
should be permitted to support
any candidate, in any way, when-
ever or not the expenditure of money
was involved, without a referen-
dum open to every member of
whatever classification.

Let it be provided further that
no union funds raised by initia-
tion fees, work permits, dues or
assessments be utilized in such
political action as a referendum
might approve.

But, by voluntary contribution
so safeguarded as to hold pres-
sure to a minimum, let those
members who approved of the
union's proposed political action
make up as large a fund as they
see fit, to be spent in any way not
offensive against corrupt practices
applicable to all.

In this way union majorities
could utilize organizational ma-
chinery to advance their political
objectives, but minority members
would not be forced to finance the
election of men—or the legisla-
tion of principles—to which they
are opposed.

Washington — Mr. Churchill
must have been in a good humor
when he hopefully predicted the
end of the war in Europe this
summer.

The most respected military au-
thorities here share the hope that
the European end is a matter of
months, but they are not predict-
ing. To them this is just the be-
ginning of the final military op-
erations. These are the early
stages of the planned crushing
blows.

Look at the front pages. The
operations which formerly were
reported in two or three different
headlines now monopolize prac-
tically all the columns, so far
flung have the battlefields grown
in the past week. And they will
grow more.

As daring as the European in-
vasion, was the attack upon Sai-
pan, up to that point, we had been
merely on the outer fringes of the
Jap defensive line. With that
thrust, we plunged into the very
heart of it, bypassing all the naval
strongholds dotted out south-
ward and eastward in the Pacific
(Truk, Palau, Yap, etc.).

There was not the usual island
hopping, but an enlightened and
brilliant strategem designed to
put our bombers within easier
range of Tokyo and over all the
Jap shipping through which she
sustains her war empire.

It was feasible only because we
have been dominating the sea
lines and thus could supply such
an advanced force, or at least we
have the right to suspect we can,
because we put warships and
transports safely into action
there with the invading force.

Unless the Jap fleet comes out
of hiding to fight a decisive battle,
that condition will continue.

The details of the fighting were
at first held back, probably even
from Washington, because this is
only one knife thrust in a general
scheme of attack, just one phase
upon which further developments
rest. Consequently, it must be
assumed the authorities wisely
awaited a decisive break in the
fighting.

So also with France to some ex-
tent. The bulk of our Army has
been held out of Normandy, in a
similarly threatening manner. In
Italy, the nazis are attempting
from time to time to stiffen their
resistance at a few strong points,
but at other times, they are soft.

Thus it is impossible to guess
accurately on the end of the war.
So much depends on factors con-
cerning which we may have an
opinion, but which are not facts,
such things as German military
and civilian morale on which there
are oscillating signs, the musing
 Luftwaffe, etc. And in the Pa-
cific, the real attack has just
started.

If the robot plane assault on
England is the dummy Luftwaffe
Herr Goering was addressing with
a plea to fight to the death and

there is no other, the robot attack
itself is a sign of German desper-
ation. It is a silly method of
warfare, for which the only ex-
cuse is a desire to spread con-
sternation with indiscriminate killing
and destruction.

The British were so upset about
it because it is psychologically
disturbing even to the imperturb-
able to see those aimless plane-
loads of explosives flying over-
head, uncontrolled at a rate of
about 15 or more an hour, day
and night. But, from a military
standpoint, it is only an attack
upon impregnable British coast-
lines.

The rocket planes are con-
structed cheaply, but must use
much material which goes into
planes, and every one shot out
fails to come back. Therefore, in-
trinsically, it is just a very ex-
pensive, aimless expenditure of
material by a nation already on
the verge of defeat for that very
reason, and so short of air ma-
terial that it has not been able to
put up an air force.

Lodges
Rebekah.—At the meeting of
Minnie Bell Rebekah lodge Friday
evening a joint memorial session
will be held with the Odd Fellows.
Refreshments will be served.

Legion Important—An impor-
tant meeting of the Dixon Post
No. 12, American Legion will be
held at the Legion hall, over Pen-
ney's store, tonight at 8 p. m., to
which all members are earnestly
urged to attend.

Plans for the evening include a
discussion of the paper shortage
confronting the nation by O. L.
Wilson, a special representative of
the War Production Board; ar-
rangements to be made for the
annual Legion picnic and stage
production for veterans of World
War No. 2, which will be held
some time in July; a report on the
recent Jay Gould circus, spon-
sored by the local post; a report on
the progress of the Memorial
Arch drive; and plans for the
Legion's participation in the
Fourth of July celebration to be
sponsored by Dixon merchants.

Commander Frank J. Gorham
earnestly urges all Legionnaires
to be present at this important
meeting.

Funerals

Suburban—
CHAS. BUCKINGHAM

The funeral of Charles Bucking-
ham of Amboy, chairman of the
Lee county board of supervisors
and review, who was killed in an
automobile accident north of Ash-
ton early Tuesday morning, will
be held at his home in Amboy at
2:30 o'clock Thursday and at the
Methodist church in that city at
2:30. Burial will be in Prairie Re-
posce cemetery.

Members of the board of super-
visors will meet at the Amboy
News office at 1:45 o'clock to at-
tend the funeral in a body and
the various county officials will
also attend.

Deaths

Suburban—
MRS. CHARLES MALL

Mrs. Charles Mall of Ashton
passed away at the Katherine
Shaw Bethel hospital here at 11
o'clock this morning. Funeral ar-
rangements will be announced
later. Mrs. Mall had been a pa-
tient at the hospital since Sun-
day.

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Fair Enough by WESTBROOK PEGLER

New York.—Long distance tele-
phone records subpoenaed by the
Dies committee have revealed a
close relationship between the
Political Action Committee of the
CIO and the following:

The White House and Mrs.
Roosevelt.
Vice-President Henry Wallace.
The Department of Agriculture.
The Department of Justice, and
various regional directors of
the Farm Security Administration
having the power to exert strong
political and economic pressure on
farmers.

The numerous calls to the re-
gional FSA offices were made in
most cases by C. B. Baldwin, as-
sistant director of the Political
Action Committee, who resigned
his job as chairman of the FSA
in Washington to become actual
manager of the PAC's campaign
to elect President Roosevelt for a
fourth term and Wallace for a
second term and to defeat a se-
lect list of aspirants for the house
of representatives and the sen-
ate.

Sidney Hillman, chairman of the
PAC, is president of the Amalgam-
ated Clothing Workers, CIO, and
recently has been denounced by
David Dubinsky and other right-
wing union radicals, as the leader
of the Communist party in New
York, now known as the American
Labor Party.

Baldwin has held various key
jobs in Washington ever since
1923, when he caught on as as-
sistant secretary of agriculture under
Wallace. He became director of
the Farm Security Administration
in October, 1940. The phone calls
indicate a strong continuing in-
terest and influence in the FSA,
while he is on leave serving with
the political leader of the New
York Communist faction of the
union movement. His biography
in Who's Who says he was ap-
pointed "Co-ordinator for State
Department, Italy, 1943" and that
he was "delegate, first pan-Ameri-
can housing conference, Buenos
Aires," a pleasant outing for im-
perceptible benefits to the Ameri-
can people.

The period covered by the sub-
poenaed telephone records is from
Dec. 5, 1943, to last May 31. The
slips showed 28 calls from the
New York headquarters of the
CIO's Political Action Committee
direct to the White House, includ-
ing one from Hillman to Mrs.
Roosevelt on April 5, and another
last Jan. 19 from Hillman to
David Niles, formerly Nyhus, of
Boston, one of the president's self-
less assistants with a passion for
anonymity and for left-wing poli-
tics. Hillman also called Vice
President Wallace, and Baldwin is
recorded as having made three
calls to Wallace's office. All
these calls were placed from the
New York headquarters of the
Political Action Committee. Bal-
dwin also telephoned the one who
calls himself Niles and Jonathan
Daniels, another of the president's
selfless anonymous political
assistants, at the White House on
several occasions.

The Hillman-Baldwin-Commun-
ist group of the CIO has defeated
for renomination both Martin Dies
of Texas and Joe Starnes of Ala-
bama, and this undoubtedly may
be accepted as one reason for the
Dies committee's interest in the
PAC's telephone records. Starnes
is a member of the committee.

The records show, according to
the Dies committee, "hundreds" of
calls from the PAC's New York
headquarters to various govern-
ment officials, particularly in the
department of justice, and in the
department of agriculture which
controls the Farm Security Ad-
ministration and the fortunes of
many farmers through its local
agents scattered everywhere. Mr.
Biddle, himself, and Mordecai
Ezekiel, an economist firmly at-
tached to the department of agri-
culture, were among the men so
honored. The list contains the

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Three Thousandth Man Registers at Stop Over Station

Pfc. Harold Brass of the U. S.
Marine Corps of Brooklyn, N. Y.,
who has been stationed at Klamm-
eth Falls, Ore., was the three-
thousandth service man to register
at the Stop Over station operated
by the Service Mothers organiza-
tion of Dixon yesterday afternoon.
He was one of a group of seven
soldiers who visited the station
and who were given food, refresh-
ments and smokes. After he had
signed the register as the three-
thousandth guest, service mothers
on duty presented him with one
dollar for each thousand service
men who have registered previous-
ly.

About 30 service men signed the
register during the day yesterday
and last Sunday the number to
visit the popular station reached
about 50. Mothers of service men
from the Dixon area who are on
duty stated today that many of
the visitors are soldiers returned
from the various scenes of opera-
tions and many have their medical
discharges and are returning to
their homes.

Contributions
The list of contributions received
by the Service Mothers organiza-
tion from May 20 to June 20,
are as follows:

Mrs. Minnie June, \$1; Mrs. Sit-
zel, \$1; Mrs. Margaret Leake, \$5;
Mrs. Ashley, \$1; Mrs. Derr, \$2;
Miss Clea White, \$2; Mrs. D. L.
Heagy, \$1; Mrs. Nona Webster,
\$1; Mrs. L. G. MacDonald, \$5;
Mrs. I. E. Hoefel, \$5; O. L. Paice,
\$1; anonymous, \$10; Mrs. John
Davies, \$1; Mrs. K. Ballou and
Mr. Lennon, \$2.50; anonymous, \$2;
B. F. Shaw Printing Co., \$25; Mrs.
Warren Murray, \$10; Dependable
club, \$5; Mrs. Bert Henning, \$1;
a friend, \$1; Mrs. Walter Brauer,
\$5; Kathryn Beard Shoppe, \$5;
Mrs. Austin, \$1; Ed Myers, \$1;
Dixon One-Stop Service, \$25; Mrs.
Bert Hoyle, \$5; Gamma Mu chap-
ter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority, \$5.

names of many others in Wash-
ington who have been associated
with groups and movements by
themselves called "liberal" and
"radical" but called, by others,
Communist.

Baldwin made seven calls to his
old subordinate, E. S. Morgan, re-
gional director of the FSA in
Montgomery, Ala., during Starnes'
primary campaign in which he
was narrowly defeated for renomi-
nation. Morgan, who might be
Baldwin's subordinate again after
election, possesses the usual poli-
tical and economic influence of a
regional director in a farming
area.

Baldwin also phoned "Lovesay
(Vernon), FSA" in Portland, Ore.,
where Senator Rufus Holman, Re-
publican, was beaten for renomi-
nation by Wayne Morse, a nomi-
nal Republican but a left-winger,
who resigned from the War La-
bor Board to make the contest.
Baldwin telephoned Morse, too.

Other telephone slips record
calls from Baldwin at the PAC to
the regional office of the FSA in
Phoenix, Ariz.; to E. D. Banfield,
at the FSA office in Denver; to
J. H. Woodat at the FSA in Up-
per Darby, Pa. and to Ralph
Picard at the FSA offices in both
Cincinnati and Indianapolis.

Politics Daily Review of Activi- ties of Those Seek- ing Office

BY JACK BELL
Chicago, June 21—(AP)—Re-
publican draftsmen went to work
today on an America-at-war plat-
form while supporters of Gov.
Thomas E. Dewey of New York
and other candidates fought hot
room battles for the presidential
nominating votes now indexed for
"favorite sons".

Loaded with ammunition ac-
cumulated in a nine-months' study
of issues by eight advisory
groups, platform committee mem-
bers gathered today to begin compos-
ing a set of principles, the presiden-
tial omnibus to be chosen next
week will be expected to espouse
in the campaign.

Generally, these are expected to
promise more expeditious pro-
secution of the war than the Dem-
ocrats have been able to accom-
plish, pledge international peace
collaboration, offer jobs to return-
ing veterans and impetus to pri-
vate industry while blasting away
at the new deal and most of its
works.

But the fever heat of delegate
interest was not on the activities
of the committee, which Senator
Robert Taft (R-Ohio) appears
likely to head, but on the maneu-
vering of candidates' backers for
and against an early ballot nom-
ination.

This maneuvering boiled down
to a hardly-concealed effort by
the Dewey adherents to block
"favorite sons" out of the first
ballot count, so they might obtain
a showdown at the outset. There
were countering attempts by sup-
porters of Gov. John W. Bricker
of Ohio and Lieut. Comdr. Harold
E. Stassen of Minnesota to keep
as many candidates as possible in
the race.

The net result seemed to be
that California, with 22 votes to
be cast early in the roll call; Illi-
nois, with 59 votes several steps
down the line, and Pennsylvania,
with 70 at a possibly critical
juncture in the call, might decide
the issue and the nomination.

As for Illinois, Gov. Dwight
Green, who heads the delegation,
made it clear that the central
area Republicans are going to
look over the prospects carefully
before they jump. There have
been some suggestions that the
state's vote be cast for Green on
the first ballot, which would be a
victory for the Bricker and Stas-
sen adherents.

Green told a reporter, however,
that the Illinois group probably
would caucus Sunday, after lead-
ers have talked to the late-arriv-
ing California aggregation and
sounded out the sentiment there.

From the various campaign
headquarters of presidential pos-
sibilities, meanwhile, there con-
tinued to flow expressions of
praise for their men.

Roy D. Moore, for Governor
John W. Bricker of Ohio, said "the
responsible leaders of the Dewey
forces are, as convention time
near, retreating from" what
Moore called fantastic claims.

J. Russell Sprague, for Dewey,
commented "we are confident of
the results".

Victor Johnson, for Lt. Camdr.
Harold E. Stassen, said the for-

mer Minnesota "is the only one
who talks" the language of voters
under 40 in and out of the service.
Also in Chicago, the anti-
four term organization Ameri-
can Democratic National Commit-
tee voted to call a convention of
all organizations opposed to the
renomination of President Roose-
velt.

It was voted down a once-ap-
proved recommendation that the
Republicans nominate a coalition
ticket such as Bricker and Harry
F. Byrd, Virginia Democratic sen-
ator.

On another political develop-
ment supporters in congress of
Rep. Everett Dirksen of Illinois
announced they would present his
name to the Republican conven-
tion for the vice presidential nom-
ination.

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and it was not known immediately
whether the crews were saved.

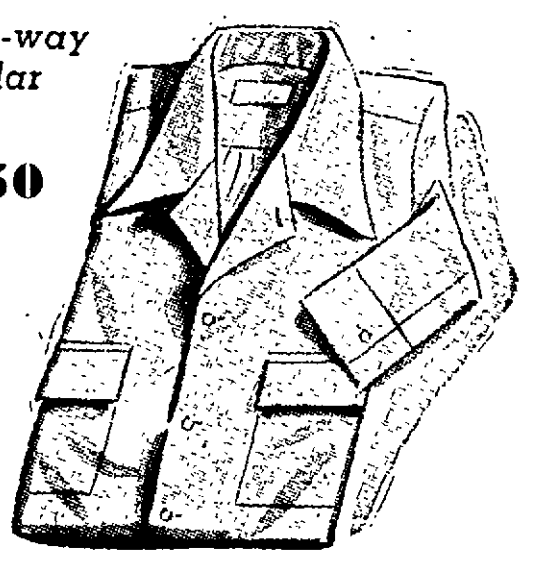
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God's Front Porch

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About half the crowd got off at
Heavenly Bend Junction on Pinky
got off there, too. God met Pinky,
who had been killed in a foxhole,
and Emily, a war correspondent,
at the train and shows them
around the town a bit before tak-
ing them home. He explains that
every race and creed is repre-
sented and points out the houses
of Allah and the Lord among others.
Emily wonders about the
house with the swastika on the
door but God tells her it's occupied
by some fly-by-night people who
aren't worth worrying about.
Traders back at Heavenly Bend
Junction until they stop longing
to be back on Earth. Then they
go on to the Big Valley.

IX
WHEN Pinky learned the full
purpose of what the war had
done to Heavenly Bend Junction
and, particularly, the effect it had
on the governing group of City
Fathers, he had a sickness in his
heart which no amount of the
usual Pinky self-confidence and
the old Pinky determination could
heal. All that afternoon he sat in
a corner of the porch, silent, apart.
He had asked to be allowed to
skip supper... and he was still on
the porch, in the twilight, when
the boarders filed out, lingered a
while to chat and rock, then wan-
dered off, their various ways, to
find entertainment for the evening.

Not quite all of them had left.
Mrs. Johnson, the one with the
knitting, who was an old-timer
here, and a know-it-all, stayed on
for a while, because Emily was
still sitting on the steps, and Mrs.
Johnson recognized a good audi-
ence when she saw one. And Ada
Pronson, the pretty young girl
with the unfortunate brace on her
leg, was also there. Three female
bashing it over. Pinky wished de-
sperately that they'd leave, too, be-
cause earlier in the afternoon
Pinky had discovered, on the
porch, an object of great interest
to him. It was propped on the rail-
ing, facing eastward. A small
telescope. He had had only one

Emily sensed his antagonism,
tried to fill in the breach. "I'd sure
like to run out there, see what it
looks like anyway."

"Oh, you can't do that," Mrs.
Johnson disallowed her. "Once
you're there, you're there. Unless
maybe he calls you back to take
a message somewhere."

"Ye gods, I knew it. Angels!
So that's what you are when you
get out there."

MRS. JOHNSON laughed smug-
ly. "You are behind the times.
Not angels—messengers. The
thought messengers that he sends
to earth. Except that he doesn't do
it any more."

"Why not?"
"They can't get through. All that
gun fire and the smoke and every-
thing. I declare, people are really
silly, thinking he's the one who's
neglected them, when they're the
ones who have done the whole
thing."

"Oh, I wouldn't say that," Emily
straightened, intensely interested.
This was something she knew
about. "I did an article about it
just last fall. Why, statistics show
that there's more praying now
than at any time in history. 'Reli-
gion's Comeback,' I called it."

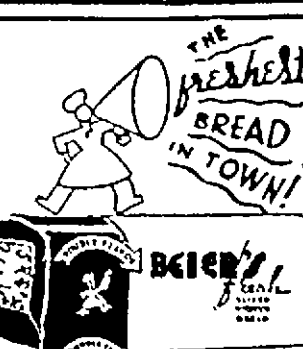
"Yes, I know," Mrs. Johnson
continued undisturbed—in fact en-
joying it. "But the praying's not
getting through. With that layer
of misery that's around the earth
now, nothing can get through.
That's why he's disbanded the
service for the duration."

"A messenger came to collect
us!"
"Oh, there're plenty of messen-
gers there, the ones who got stuck
there. Stranded. No contact with
uphere anymore."

Pinky groaned inwardly. How
disappointing it all was. On the
train, in the back of his mind,
there had been one small conso-
lation. "At least," he had thought,
"no matter what happens to me,
I'll be in the right spot to put in
a good word for Martha. I can watch
over her. And maybe, in a way, I'll
even be able to see and touch the
baby." But now... what could
he hope for now?

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Society News

Musical Program Is Arranged by Brethren Church

A musical program, under the direction of Mrs. Ruth E. Emmert, will be given in the basement of the Brethren church Thursday evening, June 22, at 8 o'clock, to which the public is invited.

Part one will be a musical reading, "The Three Little Pigs," by Ada Richter. Reader, Ruth E. Emmert, voice of the pig family, Charlotte Emmert, voice of the wolf, Jean McClanahan. The voices will be accompanied by Rita Charla, Mary Jane Aughenbaugh, Mary Jo Mercer, Marlene Ward, and Gladys Murphy.

Part two, Above the Clouds, by Ruth E. Emmert. Those taking part: Cousins of the bride, Jean McClanahan, Margaret Diehl, Richard Jones, Helen Muhlebach, Phyllis Diehl, Shirley McClanahan; sister, Betty McClanahan; brother, Jerry Sick; flower girl, Glenna Murphy; ring bearer, Barbara Bovey; bridesmaids, Edna Hoffman, Arlene Noble; bride, Mary Lou Williams; matron of honor, Cecile Jones; gypsies, Gloria Jones, Charlotte Emmert. Cecile Jones will be the accompanist for the vocal numbers.

V. F. W. AUXILIARY
Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary held a special meeting last evening to take into the auxiliary 15 new members.

New members are: Margaret Laitley, Marie Wedlake, Nadine Patterson, Helen Riley, Eunice Conkling, Iris Osborn, Barbara Larson, Jane Hansen, Lucille Covert, Ruth Pelanea, Goldie Grube, Verna Rinehart, Ethel Mae Morris, Faye Wright, Bette Emmert.

Final arrangements were also made for the encampment to be held at Springfield, June 22-23-24. Dixon representatives will be: Alpha Cruse, Thelma Webb, Earlene Nunemaker, Mary Thomas, Ethel Brooks, Agnes Seiling, Helen Cruse, Marion Bott.

July 6 will be the date of the next meeting.

VACATION ENJOYED
Mrs. Frank Schrack, Mrs. Fred Odenthal and daughters, Mrs. Byron Blum, Dixon, and Mrs. Helen Rosbrook, Rockford, have returned from a vacation trip to Ft. Eustis, Virginia. Mrs. Odenthal's daughter and son-in-law Pvt. and Mrs. Hubert Osborne, have been residing at the southern camp.

A scenic trip along the beautiful Ohio river and the Allegheny mountains was enjoyed by the group, as well as a tour through Washington, D. C.

Pvt. Osborne has been sent to a port of embarkation and Mrs. Osborne returned to Dixon with the party, to make her home with her parents.

PALMYRA GRANGE
Palmyra Grange will hold a social meeting Friday evening, June 23, at 8 o'clock at the Gap Grove town hall.

During the evening Mrs. Alexander, public health nurse of Lee county, will show various reels of health pictures, vital to everyone's knowledge. Mrs. Alexander has recently completed teaching a class of thirty ladies, in a Home Nursing course of twenty-four hours, from this community.

Following these pictures a social hour and refreshments will be enjoyed. The public is invited.

DATE CHANGED
Members of the Woman's Bible class of the Methodist church will meet tomorrow afternoon at 1 o'clock at Mrs. Mays' cottage in Assembly park. The meeting has been changed from today because of the funeral of Mrs. Celeste Cooper.

VISITING
Kenneth Felt and pilot Robert Jones arrived in Dixon Monday evening, after a flight from Twin Falls, Idaho. Kenneth is now visiting at the home of his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beede, Palmyra.

—Read Westbrook Pegler—
Page 4—if you wish to keep posted on what is going on.

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PLUM HOLLOW WOMEN

Ladies of the Plum Hollow Golf club enjoyed a luncheon served at 1:15 p. m. yesterday, after which a blind bogey tournament was held. Winners were Mrs. Charles Cramer, Mrs. George Stevens and Mrs. Elwin Wadsworth. Mrs. Melvin Cook and Mrs. E. E. Ryan tied for low puts.

A two ball mixed foursome tournament will take place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with a scramble supper following play.

SCHOOL PICNIC

Lowell park will be the scene of the First Christian church's annual Sunday school picnic to be held tomorrow. Those desiring transportation are requested to be at the church between 10 and 12 a. m.

ENTERTAINS

Misses Lucille Stauffer and Helen Nagel entertained at a picnic supper Monday evening, at Lowell park, in honor of Miss Frances Crawford. A gift of a set of dishes was presented by the group.

Chuckle Book Party Was Held Tuesday

Members of the Dixon Woman's club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wilbur Fells for a "Chuckle Book" party, in which cartoons were clipped and pasted in scrapbooks for the recreation of members of the armed forces.

Mrs. E. V. Mellott, chairman of the war service committee of the club, instructed the group on how the books should be made, showing samples of books made by members. Some of these included the regulation USO books which are approximately 9 by 12 inches in size and contain 18 pages.

Books constructed yesterday were made from ordinary wrapping paper, cut to the regulation size, and fastened together.

Plans were also discussed for holding get-togethers of other groups for the same purpose.

AT INDIANA U.

Mrs. Faith E. Barnhart, bookkeeper and cashier for the Dixon Public hospital, has enrolled for the third Institute on Hospital Accounting, to be held June 26-30 at Indiana university.

OGLE BANKERS

Ogle county bankers held a social meeting at the White Pines park last evening, approximately 50 being present. Movies were enjoyed in the lodge prior to dinner, served in the dining room.

IN CHICAGO

Miss Anna Stump, R. N., an instructor at the Katherine Shaw Betheda hospital, left for Chicago, June 18, where she will attend the summer session at the University of Chicago.

DORCAS SOCIETY

The Dorcas Society of the Congregational church will meet Thursday, June 22, at 2:30 o'clock at the church. A picnic supper will be held, together with a birthday and anniversary celebration.

NEWCOMERS REUNION

The 29th annual Newcomer reunion will be held Sunday, June 25, at Lowell park.

JACKETS OF LEATHER SCRAP

More than 3225 leather jackets for service men have been made from 25 tons of scrap auto upholstery leather donated by an automobile company.

REESE REUNION HELD SUNDAY, JUNE 8

The eighth reunion of the Reese family was held Sunday, June 18, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Reese, route 1, with twenty-nine present.

Long picnic tables were placed in the garage, which the host had decorated with streamers of various colored crepe paper. Festooned above the tables were bowls of garden flowers, adding to the festive scene.

After a delicious picnic dinner, the president, Everett Reese, conducted a business meeting. Coral Lambert read the secretary's report and Ernestine Knott gave the treasurer's report.

Election of officers, for two years, resulted as follows: Mrs. Dena Reese Flinn, Chicago, president; Ada Teeter, secretary, Harry Reese, treasurer. Mrs. Elmer Knott and Mrs. Harry Reese will serve on the program committee. The next reunion will be held on the third Sunday in June, 1945, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Cuyam, of Grand Detour.

After a short program of songs and readings, the group enjoyed a social hour before departing for their homes.

Attending the reunion were: Mr. and Mrs. Foster Reese, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Reese, Anita Louise Reese; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Reese; Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lambert, Mrs. John Smith; John Nettis, all of Dixon; Mr. and Mrs. William Cuyam, Grand Detour; Mrs. Dena Flinn, Mrs. Hazel Law; Chicago; Mrs. William Reese, Elgin; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Knott, etty Jean Knott, Stillman Valley; Marjorie Wickstrand, Rockford; Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Myers, Villa Park.

Collectivism Started on March—Dirksen

Washington, June 21—(AP) — Centralization of federal power under the present administration has started "collectivism on the march" in America declares Rep. Dirksen (R-Ill).

In a radio address last night Dirksen said, "for a decade there has been an erosion of the law-making powers of the congress. More and more, we see the effort to chain the individual and individual rights to collective and group action".

An announced candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, Dirksen cited "the issuance of more than 3,600 executive orders in the first ten years of the present administration".

CANNON BELLS

The "Maria Gloriosa" and the "Emperor" two famous bells made from French cannon, hung in the cathedral at Cologne for years, but were remade into cannon when World War I came.

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Mrs. William Waterman and son Billy from Los Angeles, Calif., are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Anderson.

Dr. and Mrs. Paul Boyle are vacationing this week at a cottage near Savannah.

Pvt. George Otis arrived Saturday evening from Camp Wolters, Texas, for a 10-day furlough at his home. He is enroute to Camp Meade, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Withers, accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Missman spent Sunday with Mrs. Clifford Missman at Sterling.

Mrs. Emma Otis of Chicago is visiting in the home of her son, and family, Pvt. and Mrs. George Otis.

Mrs. K. E. Brueckner, son John and daughter Amelia, from Chattanooga, Tenn., visited Monday and Tuesday with their aunt, Mrs. Nancy Pollock. Mrs. Brueckner is teacher in the Chattanooga school and was on her way to Madison, Wis., to spend the summer with her father and attend summer school at that place.

Mrs. Melvin Priller and daughter, Diane left Monday for Riverside, Calif., where they will make an indefinite stay with Melvin, who is stationed near there.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hansford, of Batavia, spent the weekend in the George Hansford home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Rodeffer and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Foltz visited with friends and relatives at Sterling Sunday.

Mrs. E. H. Billsborough, Ontario, Calif., and daughter, Mrs. Martin Leatherbury, Los Angeles, left Tuesday from Dixon to return to their homes after visiting here for several weeks with friends.

Frank Auferback, merchant marine, from New York, arrived Saturday for a short furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Auferback.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stauffer left today to spend several days with

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Salvation Army's Drive Next Week

The Salvation Army will conduct its annual campaign here the week of the 26th, Cap.ain Wm. Davis of the Divisional office announced today.

An office has been established in the Chamber of Commerce building and local citizens are asked to assist in making this appeal a success. The quota for Lee county is \$500, the same as last year. A portion of the funds received will remain in this county under the direction of a permanent committee who will dispose of the same in a charitable way.

The local committee will consist of Frank Fordham, treasurer, Gerald Jones and the Rev. Allan McLain.

According to Salvation Army officials the army is serving on

every front, doing its best to assist in making American service men and women comfortable. In addition to the army's war activities, there is a permanent service rendered through homes and hospitals, men's shelters, etc.

Army officials will deeply appreciate any contribution and assistance in the campaign.

BRIDES ON DISPLAY

The Moroccan wife, clad in her most gorgeous costumes, must sit alone in her husband's house for seven days after their marriage, and any woman may come in from the street and look at her.

SEA LION TRAINING LORE

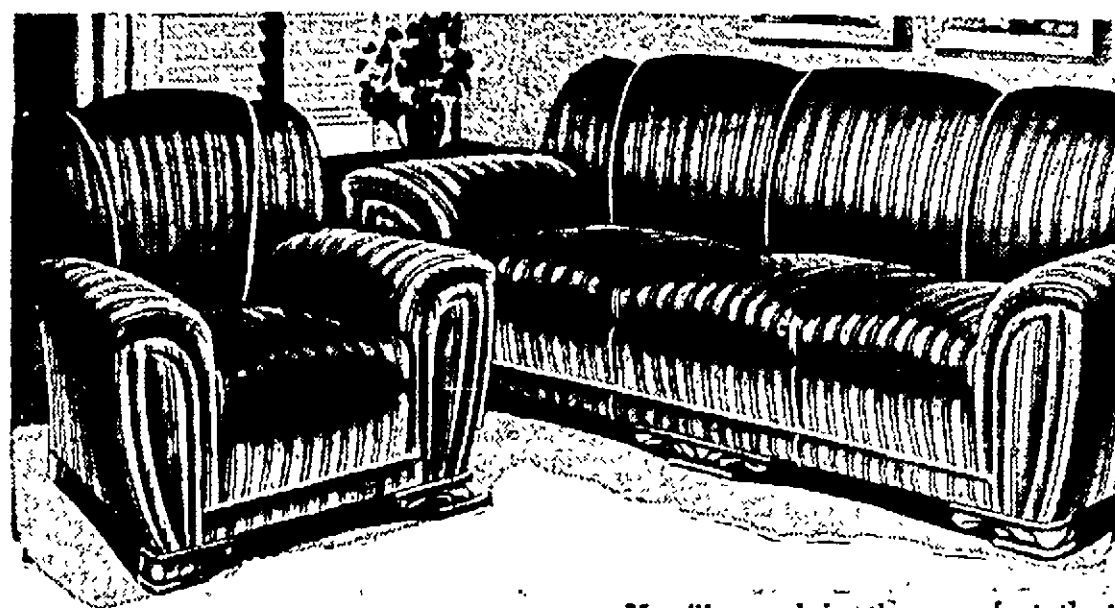
Sea lions must be captured at exactly the right age if they are to be trained. If taken before learning to swim, they die in captivity, and if caught after the age of six months, they are difficult to train.

England did not produce more than 45 per cent of her foodstuffs before the war.

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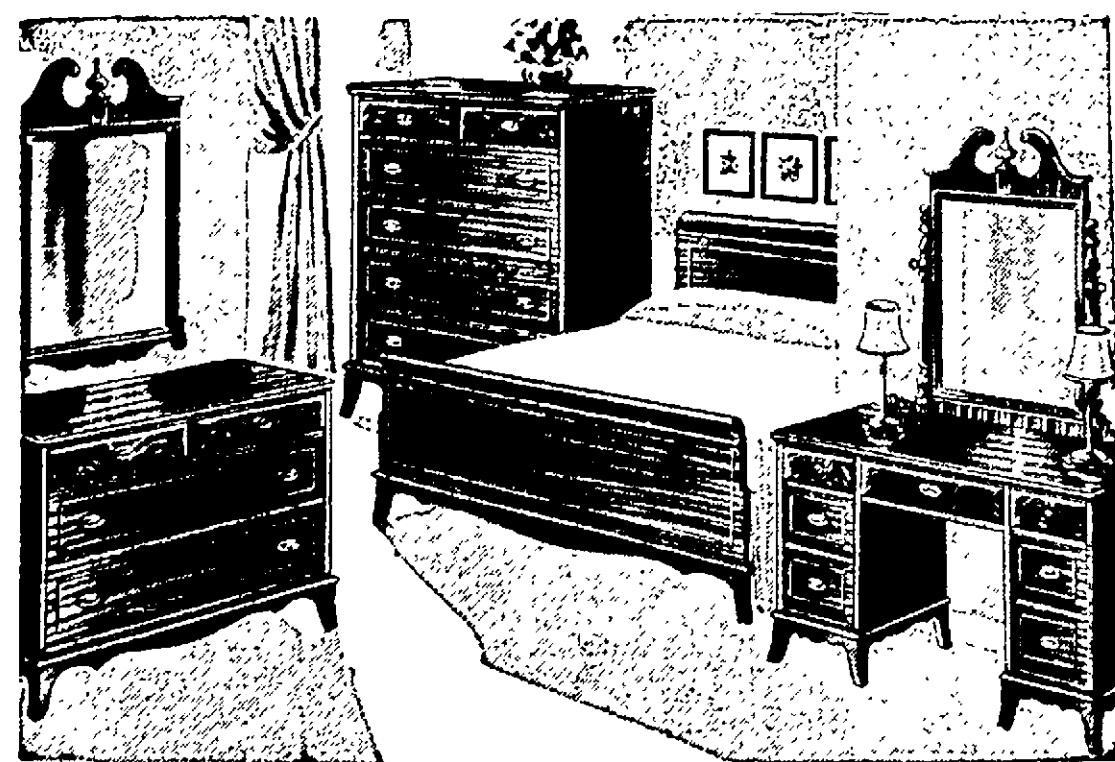
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Markets at a Glance

New York: Stocks lower; profit cashing continues. Bonds irregularly lower; rails in supply. Cotton higher; trade and commission house buying. Chicago: Wheat down sharply. Crop prospects. Rye down sharply. Reports of WPA abandonment of plans to require use of rye in manufacture industrial alcohol. Hogs steady on support weights at the top of \$12.75. Holdovers 15,000. Cattle—Choice fed steers topped at \$17.50.

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT	1.55 1/2	1.58 1/2	1.56	1.56 1/2
Sept.	1.57	1.57 1/2	1.55 1/2	1.55 3/4
Dec.	1.57 1/2	1.58 1/2	1.56 1/2	1.57 1/2
OATS				
July	75 1/2	75 3/4	74 1/2	74 3/4
Sept.	70 1/2	70 3/4	69 1/2	69 3/4
Dec.	69 1/2	69 3/4	68 1/2	68 3/4
May	69 1/2	69 3/4	68 1/2	68 3/4
RYE				
July	1.09 1/2	1.09 3/4	1.07 1/2	1.07 3/4
Sept.	1.10 1/2	1.10 3/4	1.08 1/2	1.08 3/4
Dec.	1.12	1.12 1/2	1.10 1/2	1.10 3/4
May	1.16	1.16 1/2	1.13 1/2	1.13 3/4
BARLEY				
July	1.22	1.22 1/2	1.21 1/2	1.21 3/4
Sept.	1.11 1/2	1.11 3/4	1.10 1/2	1.10 3/4
Dec.	1.11 1/2	1.11 3/4	1.10 1/2	1.10 3/4

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, June 21 (AP) — (WFA) — Saleable hogs 17,000; total 23,000; slow, steady on good and choice 150-270 lbs. 13.75, the top; other weights strong; hogs strong to 10 higher; good and choice 250-300 lbs. 11.65-12.15, heavier weights downward to 11.00 for 400 lb averages; good and choice 150-170 lbs. 12.25-13.00, good and choice 350-550 lb. 10.65-11.50; approximately 15,000 unsold. Saleable cattle 10,000; saleable calves 800; strictly good and choice fed steers and yearling heifers, steady to strong; mostly steady; both classes fairly active; top steers 17.60; bulk 14.50-17.15; bulk heifers 15.00-16.50, best heifers 17.00, largely clear and choice; run, however, except strictly dry cows weak to 15 lower; vintners 12.50 down most grass fat cows 9.50-12.50, dry offerings to 14.00; all weights fully steady, with heavy sausage offerings to 12.75; and heavy fat bulls to 14.75; light grassy bulls dull at 10.00; downy vintners steady at 16.00 down; stock cattle slow at 11.00-13.00 mostly. Saleable sheep 1,000; total 2,500, spring lambs very scarce, scattered 25 lower; shorn lambs steady; clip shorn woolled lambs active; shorn ewes weak to 25 lower; sizable lot good and choice native spring lambs 15.75; with bucks discounted 1.00; load medium to mostly good shorn lambs No. 1 pelts 13.50; load largely medium 12.50; clip shorn lambs No. 1 pelts 13.00; shorn lambs and yearlings 12.15-12.50, medium to choice shorn ewes 6.00-7.00, cull and common light weights 3.50-5.00. Officially estimated saleable receipts tomorrow hogs 16,000; cattle 4,500; sheep 1,000.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, June 21 (AP) — (WFA) — Potatoes, arrivals 103, 6 truck 19; Anne 25; demand moderate for California long whites market firm to slightly strong on best stock; for tri-umphs US No. 1, 3.60. Futures: Nov. 2.95 nom. Onion futures: Nov. 1.50 nom. Butter: Firm receipts 911,162; market unchanged. Eggs, receipts 20,029; firm; US specials 37 1/2; 38 1/2; US extras 35 1/2; 36 1/2; US standards 33 1/2; 34 1/2; current receipts 32 1/2; 33 1/2. (WFA) — Live poultry: market irregular; receipts 23 trucks; 2 cars; fob prices: leghorn springs 27 1/2; 28 1/2; fowl 22 1/2; 23 1/2; leghorn fowl 20 1/2; 21 1/2; roasters, fryers 25 1/2; 26 1/2; 27 1/2; 28 1/2; 29 1/2; 30 1/2; 31 1/2; 32 1/2; 33 1/2; 34 1/2; 35 1/2; 36 1/2; 37 1/2; 38 1/2; 39 1/2; 40 1/2; 41 1/2; 42 1/2; 43 1/2; 44 1/2; 45 1/2; 46 1/2; 47 1/2; 48 1/2; 49 1/2; 50 1/2; 51 1/2; 52 1/2; 53 1/2; 54 1/2; 55 1/2; 56 1/2; 57 1/2; 58 1/2; 59 1/2; 60 1/2; 61 1/2; 62 1/2; 63 1/2; 64 1/2; 65 1/2; 66 1/2; 67 1/2; 68 1/2; 69 1/2; 70 1/2; 71 1/2; 72 1/2; 73 1/2; 74 1/2; 75 1/2; 76 1/2; 77 1/2; 78 1/2; 79 1/2; 80 1/2; 81 1/2; 82 1/2; 83 1/2; 84 1/2; 85 1/2; 86 1/2; 87 1/2; 88 1/2; 89 1/2; 90 1/2; 91 1/2; 92 1/2; 93 1/2; 94 1/2; 95 1/2; 96 1/2; 97 1/2; 98 1/2; 99 1/2; 100 1/2; 101 1/2; 102 1/2; 103 1/2; 104 1/2; 105 1/2; 106 1/2; 107 1/2; 108 1/2; 109 1/2; 110 1/2; 111 1/2; 112 1/2; 113 1/2; 114 1/2; 115 1/2; 116 1/2; 117 1/2; 118 1/2; 119 1/2; 120 1/2; 121 1/2; 122 1/2; 123 1/2; 124 1/2; 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Lee Center

Children's Day Program
 March and song, "America"—children and congregation.
 Lord's Prayer—congregation.
 Recitation, "Welcome"—Larry Moore.
 Exercise, "Greeting"—little tots.
 Piano solo, "Shirley's Song."
 Recitation, "Make Every Sunday Children's Day"—Barbara Degner.
 Exercise, "The Master's Help"—Roger Schnell, Edward Bayler, Jerry Traugbber.
 Recitation, "The Best Thing"—Elsie McDuffy.
 Exercise, "We Thank Thee"—Fern Thomas, Carolyn Mitchell.
 Recitation, "A Poetic Hint"—Tommy Traugbber.
 Saxophone duet—Rosemary Conibear, Patricia Thomas.
 Recitation, "Sunbeams"—Shirley Schnell.
 Exercise, "God Is Love"—Mrs. Vernon Schnell's girls' class.
 Piano solo, "Banjo Pickaninny"—Cynthia Traugbber.
 Recitation, "Nothing Too Small"—Edward Bayler.
 Exercise, "The Boy's We Need"—Mrs. Pomeroy's boys' class.
 Vocal solo—Lorraine Bollman.
 Recitation, "The Month of June"—Lois Fisher.
 Piano solo, "Camping"—Janice Hill.
 Recitation, "Don't Mind the Weather"—Gordon Stebbins.
 Vocal duet, "Sunbeams"—Marilyn and Lois Bollman.
 Antiphony, "Hiding the Baby Moses"—Girls' class and Lorraine Bollman.
 Talk by the Rev. Dennis Bennett, pastor.
 Song, "God Be With You 'Till We Meet Again"—Congregation.
 Benediction.

Mrs. L. G. Snyder, who has been ill, is much improved. Her daughter, Mrs. Harold Dunseth of Dixon, is caring for her.

Frank King of Central City, Neb., has been spending his vacation with the George Kings and at the Ivan King home in Dixon. He is now visiting relatives in Peoria, but plans to return here before going back to Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Foristall and son, Ronnie, were Rockford visitors Thursday. The other three boys stayed with Mrs. Clarence Maritz.

Pfc. Albert Klauen is now in Sicily according to word received from his by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Klauen.

Burton Conibear and Judy Kilstad submitted to tonsillectomies in the Amboy hospital. They returned home that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fote were entertained at a 6:30 dinner Monday night of last week by Walter and Alice Taylor. Card games afterward completed a pleasant evening.

Mrs. Clarence Hoff is a surgical patient in the Amboy hospital, as she was operated upon Friday. She is making a satisfactory convalescence.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eaton and daughter, Mrs. Helen Clark compose the Rebekah committee to entertain Friday evening, July 7.

A. H. Hill and W. S. Frost were Princeton visitors Saturday.

June King was home from the DeKalb Normal, over the weekend.

Forrest Ullrich, who was visiting relatives here and at Amboy has returned to Detroit, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leake, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ullrich, Mr. and

Mrs. Roy Conibear and Mrs. W. S. Frost attended the initiation ceremonies for three candidates and 39th birthday celebration of the Amboy Eastern Star last Tuesday night. Mrs. Frost gave a rhymed history of the Star from the date of its institution in 1905.

Pvt. Arlie Draper, a former resident here, is in the U. S. service and is stationed at Camp Claiborne, La.

Mrs. Mabel Painter, daughter of Mrs. Fred Meyer, who has been critically ill in the Elgin hospital, is now somewhat improved. Her relatives and son, who is in Army service, were called to her bedside last week, but she has apparently taken a turn for the better, and is considered out of danger.

Mrs. O. W. Anglemire of Rochelle was a Friday supper guest of the F. L. Johns, together with her daughter Myrna who had spent the week with them and returned home with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Myers of Arlington Heights are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Marica Louise, weighing 6½ pounds, in the Elmhurst hospital Tuesday morning, June 13.

Mrs. Myers is the former Mildred Leake, and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leake, her parents, drove to Elmhurst Wednesday to see her and the new baby which makes their fourth grandchild. They were accompanied by Mrs. William Jacob and son Bobbie Lane of Mendota. Warren Stanley, the Myers' older child came home with them. The Leakes have a perfectly equipped, fenced playground for their grandchildren.

The Crossroads Community club will hold the annual picnic

at Lowell park next Sunday. The Bradford unit of the Home Bureau will meet Wednesday, June 28 with Mrs. George Vogler. Roll call, a clever party suggestion. Local leaders will present the major lesson, "Other Methods of Food Preservation." Mrs. Fred Schaefer will give the minor lesson, "We Chinese Women." Election of officers will be held at this time as a county wide meeting will be held in July at the Lee Center high school. Members are giving the money collected from the sale of grease for Chinese and as are all other units in Illinois. The unit will discuss the purchase of a clubhouse by the Home Bureau which

will furnish our soldiers overseas with food, soft drinks, cigarettes, etc.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leake entertained at a family dinner Sunday in honor of the fourth birthday of their eldest grandchild, Bobby Lane Jacob. Others in attendance were Mr. and Mrs. William Jacob, Nancy Kay, Mendota; Warren Stanley Myers, Arlington Heights; Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Gross, Mrs. Kenneth Gross and Bobby Kay, Franklin Grove. A decorated birthday cake with lighted candles featured the dessert. Bobbie Lane was also guest of honor at a birthday party when his mother entertained eighteen guests at a 6 o'clock dinner Saturday evening.

Many fine gifts will help the little boy to remember the parties for him.

Pvt. Harry Kalsted of Fort Sheridan spent the weekend with his wife and daughter Judy. He expects to be transferred this week to a training camp.

Next Sunday will be missionary Sunday at the Sunday school and the children are asked not to forget to bring coin instead of corn "to feed the pig" who wouldn't like to be cheated. It will also be observed as Temperance Sunday.

The W. J. Leakes accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brangan of Amboy to the Illinois hospital Friday to visit Ben F. Mason. They

found him bright and cheerful and hoping to leave the hospital in a short time. They also called to see Mrs. Stanley Myers in the Elmhurst hospital.

Anker Martenson of Dixon spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nels Martenson.

Tribute was paid to twenty-four deceased members of Abigail Rebekah lodge 759 at a memorial service Friday night. As each name was read, a spray of flowers was laid on the altar and appropriate songs, Bible verses and a prayer were included in the program.

The Fortnightly bridge club will be entertained Thursday night at the W. J. Leake home.

PERF QUESTION
 New York—Pfc. Eunice Shepard of the Marine Corps Women's Reserve of Danbury, Conn., reported for duty after completing boot training, entered headquarters, peered intently about the room where eight Marines sat at desks. Snapping to attention: "Sir," she said, "I joined the Marines to free a man to fight. Who's leaving?"

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FARE RETURN
 Chicago—Pvt. Lawrence Rosenblum, 20, reluctantly handed over \$62—all he had—to the motorist who had given him a ride and then put a gun to his side and demanded his money. "I'll never get to Troy, N. Y.," he told the gunman. "What's the train fare to Troy?" the robber asked and Rosenblum told him \$12. "Okay," the bandit said, and gave back about one-seventh of the amount he had taken.

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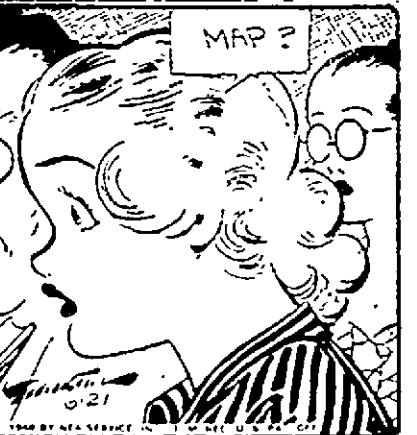
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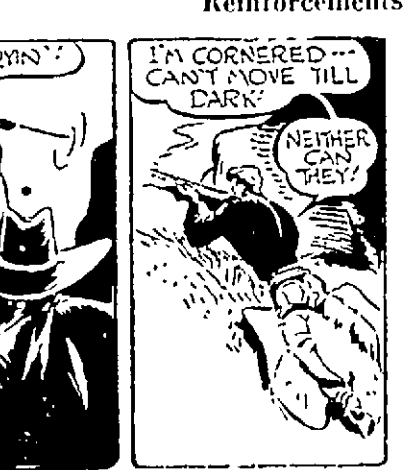
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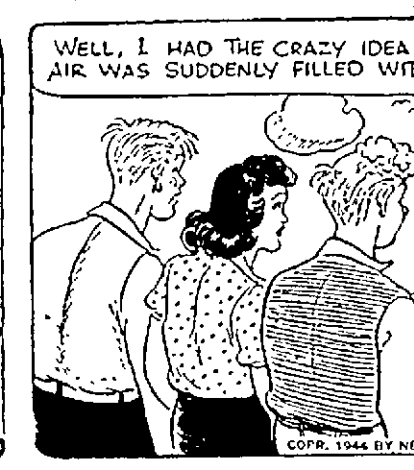
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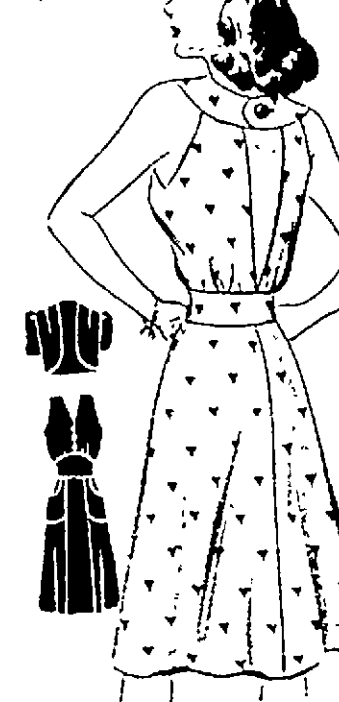


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Today's Pattern

9289
 1275
 12-10



Marian Martin

Bare-backed or "holero-d," you're charming in Pattern 9289! Trim skirt, soft bodice accent a tiny waist. Easy-to-cut, easy-to-sew.

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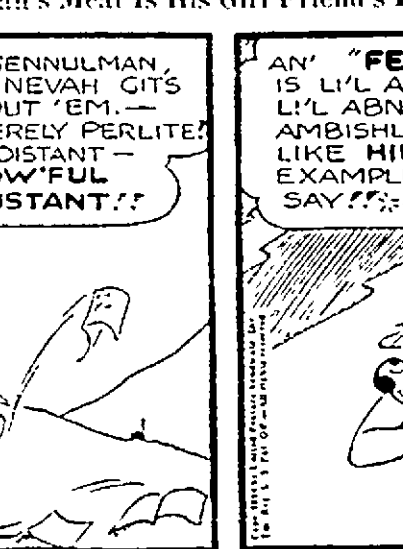
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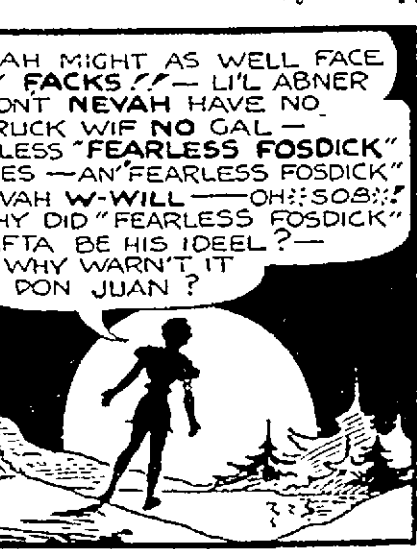


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ABBEY and SLATS



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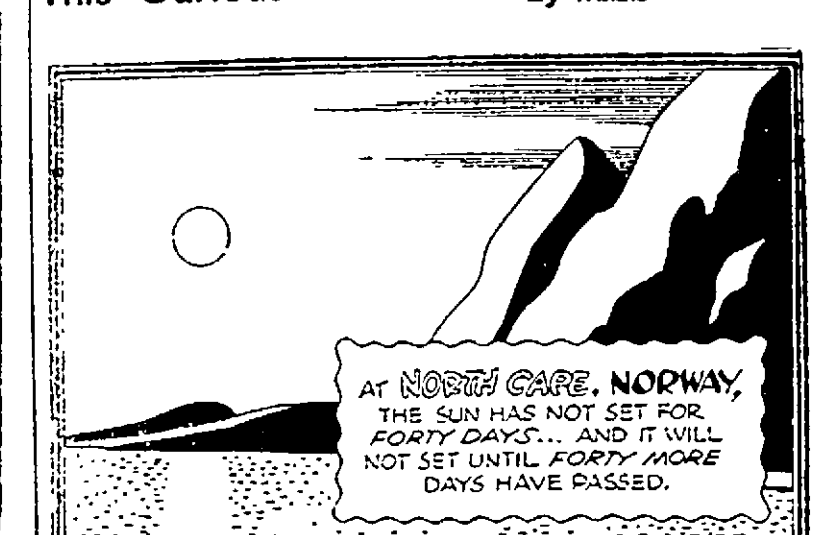
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"Oh, I forgot to straighten out the boys' obstacle course after they went to bed!"

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By WILLIAM FERGUSON



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our enemies—the enemies of civilization.

Hundreds of you fine people have recent-
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The demands for ammunition are increas-
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as more and more of our armed forces invade
the European continent and the territory ac-
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275 more workers must respond to the call
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is a job you can do and which must be done,
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So don't hesitate another day. Join the
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Consisting of dairy cows and
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25 Jersey and Guernsey Cows,
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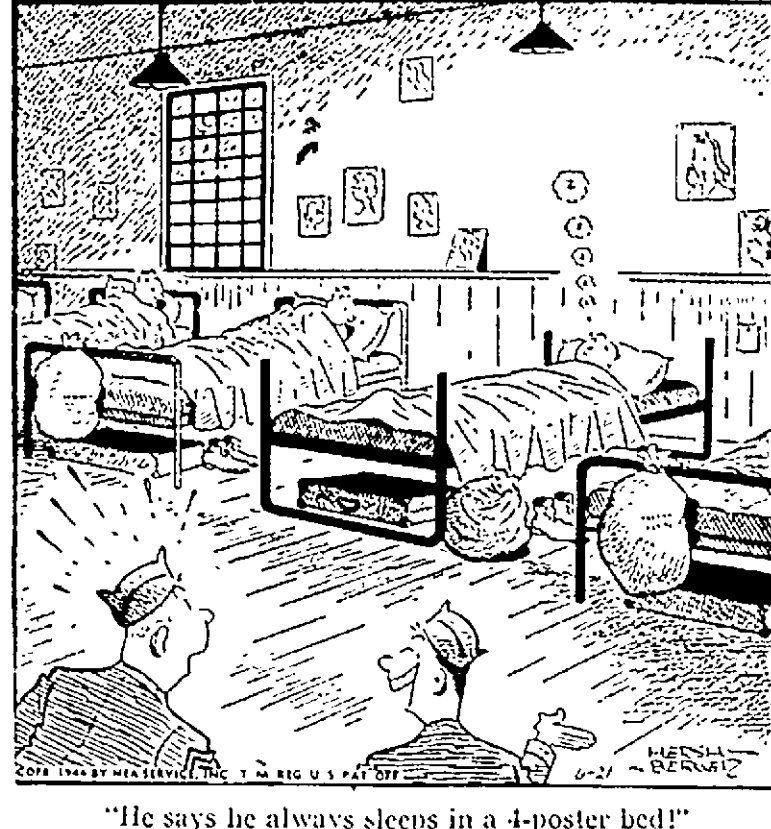
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I'VE ACCEPTED A
NEWSPAPER POSITION
—AS INFORMATION
EDITOR—
HAR-RUMPH!

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QUESTION:
"HOW FAR
DOES A
HOUSEWIFE
WALK IN
A YEAR
INSIDE
THE HOME?"

THE NEXT
QUESTION
THAT OCCURS
TO ME IS,
DO THEY
ALLOW
SMOKING
IN
PADDED
CELLS?

LET'S
THINK UP
A TOUGH
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Reporter

Woman's Club Picnic

The members of the Woman's club held their annual picnic at the school park Friday afternoon. Each member was asked to bring a guest and when the total number on hand was counted, there were 19 present. A delicious 12:00 o'clock scramble dinner was served with everyone enjoying the many dainty foods served. Following the dinner, Attorney Walter W. Stevens was the guest speaker for this occasion and gave a most interesting and informative talk on "The Making of Wills". The members then held their regular business meeting with Mrs. Kenneth L. Bielby opening the session with prayer. Mrs. Floyd Nevins gave her report of sending six birthday cards to our service men last month and that

she will have almost 12 to send during the month of June. She also reported that she has received a letter from the USO headquarters in Chicago stating that the USO scrapbooks made by many of the local citizens have been received. The letter told that they are to be placed on a new submarine to be launched soon. It is the sincere hope of all who helped make these scrapbooks that the service men will enjoy them. The group then elected the following new officers to serve during the year of 1914-1915: First vice president, Mrs. Mary Perkins; second vice president, Mrs. Rosestone; secretary, Mrs. J. C. Goble; and Mrs. Delia Harper was elected chairman of the finance committee. The club members plan to hold their meetings in the afternoon instead of in the evening during the next year. The schedule of the meetings and where they are to be held are as follows: September meeting, Mrs. Ivan Urish home; October, Bertha Goble, Mrs. Viola Rosette home; November, Miss Mary Pfeifer home; December, Mrs. Mary Perkins home; January, Mrs. Walter Stevens home; February, Mrs. Ernest Carder home; March, Mrs. Floyd Nevins home; April, Mrs. J. C. Goble home; May, Mrs. Helen Truckenbrod's home, and in June the usual picnic will once again be held.

An appeal was made over the radio for donations to be made to the service men's center in Chicago and so in response, the Paw Paw Woman's club contributed \$1.00 to this worthy cause. The club then extended its vote of thanks to Mrs. Helen Truckenbrod, who has been so kind during the past year to let the club meet at her home for all of their meetings. They also wished to thank Mrs. Floyd Nevins for her fine work as chairman of the War Service Committee, in keeping birthday and sick cards going to our service men throughout the year. Mrs. Ernest C. Carder gave the benediction to close the business meeting. The remainder of the afternoon was spent in visiting and everyone is looking forward to the coming year. We feel sure that the newly elected officers will continue in the same manner as those who preceded them in making the local Woman's club a huge success. A pleasant day was reported by everyone

and those on hand are looking forward to next year's picnic celebration.

Triple S Class

The members of the Triple S class of the Methodist church, gathered at the church parlors Tuesday afternoon for their regular monthly meeting. The usual business meeting opened with roll call and each member responded by reading a verse of scripture. All joined in the singing of their class song, after which Mrs. Viola Rosette had charge of the devotionals. Mrs. Roland Hampton read the 57th Psalm and the group then elected their new officers, as it is customary for the officers of this class to hold office for only six months. Those elected to serve for the next six months were: President, Mrs. Mary Perkins; vice president, Mrs. Lucy Moore; secretary, Mrs. Gertie Smith, and treasurer, Mrs. Minnie Barth. Plans were made for the annual Triple S class picnic which will be held July 11 in the school park, weather permitting, and if old sol should refuse to shine, it will be held at the church. Each member may invite a guest and you are asked to bring sandwiches, a dish to pass and your table service for yourself and your guest. You are asked to meet at 2:00 o'clock and the picnic will be enjoyed at 4:00 o'clock. This is an annual event and one always looked forward to by all the members. Two new members have been added to the class, and they are Mrs. Minnie Cornell and Mrs. Blanche Florschuetz.

The program began with a review of the study book "The Lord's Song in a Strange Land", and the chapter discussed at this time was "Rural Work in Mexico". Mrs. Bert DeJean read an article on "Ramos Arizpe." Mrs. Charles Tessman read an article on "Guanajuato" followed by Mrs. Louise Valentine giving a reading on "General Teran". There were thirty-two members and guests on hand and Mrs. George Pierce's mother, Mrs. Ketchmark, of Mankato, Wis., was the special guest for the afternoon. Mrs. Ketchmark is well acquainted with one of our former citizens, Dr. Arthur Boslough, and she gave the latest news of him which proved to be of great interest to everyone. A social time

followed with an enjoyable afternoon being reported by all.

Bible School

The Union Daily Vacation Bible school will be later than usual this year due to Rev. Ernest C. Carder having to be in school until the first of August. However, plans are under way to make this the most successful school that Paw Paw has had. With new ministers in town, new ideas will be used in planning the school. On Sunday afternoon of last week a meeting was held at the school. The date of the school has been set. Actual class sessions will be held from Monday, August 7, to Friday, August 18, Friday, August 14, will be registration day and Sunday evening, August 20, will be graduation night. It has also been planned that the opening sessions each day will be held at the Baptist church at 9 o'clock. At 9:20 they will be dismissed, the beginners and primary departments staying in this church for their class sessions, while the junior department will go to the Methodist church and the intermediate department will go to the Presbyterian church. Rev. Ernest C. Carder, pastor of the Methodist church, has been chosen dean of the school. Rev. Ross Creek of the Presbyterian church will be treasurer and superintendent of the intermediate department. Rev. Kenneth Bilby, pastor of the Baptist church, will be publicity chairman and superintendent of the junior department. The literature has already been ordered for the school, and a second organizational meeting will be held Sunday, June 18. As this is a community school, it is hoped that the business men, various organizations will give any assistance possible so that we may provide for our children the best that we can offer in a Bible school.

4-H Club Meets

The girls of the Wy-Lee 4-H club and their leader, Miss Eleanor Schlesinger, met at the Paw Paw Community high school auditorium Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock for their regular meeting. Their president, Elaine Schlesinger called the meeting to order and the entire group gave the Pledge of Allegiance to the Stars and Stripes, and the 4-H pledge in unison. Roll call was given by the secretary, Evelyn Hoelger, and it was answered by a large number. The program opened with a demonstration on "Hooks and Eyes" very ably given by Ardis Nevins. Audrey Thomas gave

a talk on "Snaps" and Corinne Schlesinger talked on "Darning." Elaine Schlesinger then gave a demonstration on "Posture," which proved to be of interest to all. Each and every one of these demonstrations and talks were of an instructive nature and will undoubtedly help the girls in their various projects. Helen Gaines read a humorous poem on "Out of Order," followed by Marilyn Schlesinger giving two clever odes about "Toads and Frogs" and "Camels." Miss Dorothy Mae Rissetter of Lee has joined the Paw Paw Victory Service club, along with three of our own club girls. This is a new patriotic feature and one that offers every 4-H girl a chance to help win the war. A social time was then enjoyed, with the hostesses, Jacqueline Wright and Helen Gaines serving delicious refreshments. Their next meeting will be held June 29 at the school, and all are urged to be on hand.

Contract Club

Mrs. Morris Avery entertained the members of the Contract club at her home Monday evening. Mrs. Harrison Beemer won high honors and Mrs. Floyd Nevins received the consolation prize. The hostess served a dainty lunch to round out a pleasant evening for everyone.

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Jacobs and family of Compton, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Wiesensel of Rochelle, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clark and son, Kenneth, were Sunday evening supper guests at the Jake Jacobs home.

Ensign and Mrs. Myron Blee of Galveston, Tex., arrived at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Blee, for a short furlough.

Mrs. Will Hof and Mrs. Mario Hof called at the Henry Barber home Friday afternoon.

Charles Nance spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Royal Nance in Kewanee, where he saw his brother, Cpl. Junior Nance, of Camp Chaffee, Ark., who was home on furlough.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clemens, Mr. and Mrs. Anton Haefner and Doris Mead were Sunday dinner guests at the Frank Clemens home.

Mrs. William Nichols and son, Larry, of Milwaukee, Wis., are spending a few days' vacation with Mr. and Mrs. George Kelly.

Sgt. Willard Reynolds of Ft. Sheridan, Ill., enjoyed a three-day pass at the home of Mrs. Anna Coss.

Mrs. Tom Jenkins and daughter, Martha of Cleveland, Ohio, are spending several days' vacation at the Mrs. Lucy McBride home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Jacobs and daughter, Blondie, were Thursday afternoon shoppers in Rockford.

Mrs. Charlotte Ambler and daughter, Trudy and son, Terry, were Father's Day dinner guests at the H. R. Town home.

S. 2/C George Amundson of Rhode Island is enjoying a furlough with his wife, Lucille, here in Paw Paw.

Don't forget Red Cross work every Thursday from 1:30 until 5:00 o'clock.

GESUNDHEIT!

Rock Island, Ill.—Mrs. R. C. Mitchell was about to congratulate herself on the neat manner in which she had parked her automobile.

But just as she was making her final maneuvers, she sneezed, her foot slipped off the brake and her machine jammed into another car. She told police the sneeze was to blame for the collision.

—Social stationery for women
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AS YOU drive along do you sometimes wonder just what made a rock formation here and what made a nice level plain some other place. National and state geological surveys have been made of a large percentage of the land in the United States and publications are available which tell what has been found. Of course when one starts talking about what happened thousands and millions of years ago there is bound to be some controversy over some of the smaller details but in the big things these scientists agree very well.

A PUBLICATION of this type which is especially interesting to people of this territory is one on the Dixon Quadrangle—put out by the state geological survey. The area involved goes about 12 miles north of Dixon and six miles south. It goes about 12 miles east and just a short distance west. The publication is at the public library.

IN THESE days when "gasoline-less" driving makes it imperative to see "more" of less territory one has time to gaze around and speculate on some of the details of nature. For example when you go from Dixon toward Grand Detour the first thing that attracts your attention geologically is the Rock river. Since the sides of the river bed are in many places almost perpendicular sometimes rising 200 feet in sheer cliffs and in other places the stream meanders around through a valley with more sloping walls it is known as a river in "late youth", that is one which has not quite reached middle age.

BY THE way did you know that geologists think that at one time the Rock river left its present valley up around Rockford and went straight south to Rochelle from whence it still continued south to about the lower side of Lee county and then turned in a westerly direction till it met the Mississippi a few miles northwest of Princeton!

THE Mississippi at that time was supposed to have left its present course just a short distance south of Clinton, Iowa, and gone in a southeasterly direction until about where it met the Rock river and from there it turned in a more southerly direction until it came to the present valley of the Illinois river which it followed back to its present course. At that time Dixon (if it had been here) would have been on Pine Creek and its tributaries.

DIFFERENT actions of the great glaciers made the changes in these river courses and as you travel two or three miles back from the river and see the more or less level farm land you are then seeing the deposit left by the glacier. This is called "till" and is composed of crushed and disintegrated rocks on which so much pressure and grinding

has occurred that it is broken up into dust, and becomes good tillable soil. The river bed has cut through this layer of till and down through thick layers of rock in many cases.

THE cement plant on the road out of Dixon to Grand Detour is evidence of a big commercial concern based on rock formation. The manufacture of cement requires that there be no magnesium in the rock which is quarried. Since some is present in a great number of limestones there are not so many places suitable for a cement plant.

HERE at Dixon there is a deep band of so-called "Blue" limestone which has none of the objectionable magnesium and it is at one of the largest local outcroppings of this rock that the plant is located. Part of this rock is quite fossiliferous that is it contains many "petrified" remains of some of the early small marine life which caused limestone to be deposited throughout the country.

AND so as you travel slowly along, take time to stop and wander around some of the cliffs and hills. You will be surprised at some of the interesting things in your own "back yard". There is another interesting story about the sandstone for the glass factory

at Oregon but that will have to come later.

Individual Sales in War Loan Drive Over 16 Per Cent Monday

Washington, June 21—(AP) — The Fifth War Loan has pushed past the 16 per cent mark in the drive for individual bond purchases.

Sales to individuals through Monday, seventh day of the campaign totaled \$961,000,000 toward their quota of \$9,000,000,000, the treasury announced.

The total goal is \$16,000,000,000. Only individuals' purchases will be credited to the drive until the end of this week, second in the four-week campaign.

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Turn him down? Ask him to come back another time? No! Don't! Don't... above all things... don't tell him you can't afford more Bonds. Make up your mind now that you're going to BUY MORE THAN BEFORE. Think of the price our boys are paying. Then pledge every dollar you can.

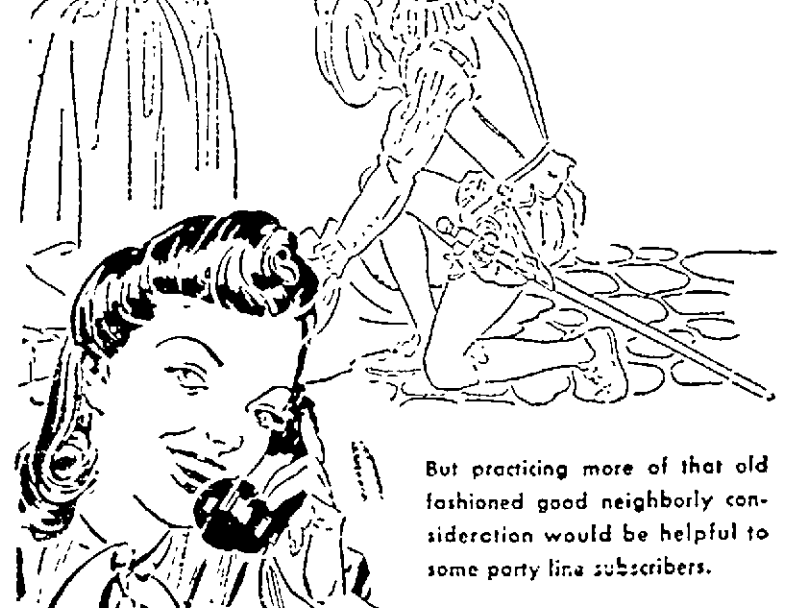
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We have had a number of complaints about inconsiderate party line subscribers. As we are limited in the changes we can make in our telephone facilities, we can't do much about selling them a single line nor changing them to some other group. Unnecessarily prolonged conversa-

tions should not be made today, any way, as telephone facilities are overburdened—a party line is a second reason for brief telephone conversations. If your telephone neighbor has been inconsiderate try a little friendly explanation and see if things won't be more pleasant.

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